

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Manish Kothari, et al.

Application No.: 09/921,196

Filed: August 1, 2001

For: HERMETIC SEAL AND METHOD TO
CREATE THE SAME

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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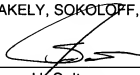
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